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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

Income Tax Due

Returns Must Be Filled Before March 15.

Washington, D. C. Feb 24 (Special to sentinel) work on the collection of \$6,000,000,000 has been begun by the Bureau of Internal Revenue. This is the estimated yield of the new revenue bill. The income tax provisions of the act reach the pocket-book of every single person in the United States whose net income for 1918 was \$1,000 or more and of every married person whose net income was \$2,000 or more. Persons whose net income equalled or exceeded these amounts, according to their marital status, must file a return of income with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which they live on or before March 15.

Here is what will happen to them if they don't, for failure to file a return on time, a fine of not more than \$1,000 and an additional assessment of 25 per cent of the amount of tax due.

For "willfully refusing" to make a return on time, a fine not exceeding \$10,000, or not exceeding one year's imprisonment, or both.

For making a false or fraudulent return, a fine of not more than \$10,000, or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, together with an additional assessment of 50 per cent of the amount of tax evaded.

For failure to pay the tax on time, a fine of not more than \$1,000 and an additional assessment of 5 per cent of the amount of unpaid, plus 1 per cent interest for each full month during which it remains unpaid.

In addition to the \$1,000 and \$2,000 personal exemptions, taxpayers are allowed an exemption of \$2,000 for each person dependent upon them for chief support if such person is under eighteen years of age and capable of self-support Under the 1917 act, this exemption was allowed only for each dependent "child." The head of a family-one who supports one or more persons closely connected with him by blood relationship, relationship by marriage, or by adoption is entitled to all exemptions allowed a married person.

The normal rate of tax under the new act is 6 per cent of the first \$4,000 of net income above the exemptions, and 12 per cent of the net income in excess of \$4,000. Incomes in excess of \$5,000 are subject also to a surtax ranging from 1 per cent of the amount of the net income between \$5,000 and \$6,000 to 65 per cent of the net income above \$1,000,000.

Payment of the tax may be made in full at the time of filing return or in four installments, on or before March 15, on or before June 15, on or before September 15, and on or before December 15.

Revenue officers will visit every county in the United States to aid taxpayers in making out their returns. The date of their arrival and the location of their offices may be ascertained by inquiring at offices of collectors internal revenue, postoffices and banks. Failure to see these officers, however, does not relieve the taxpayer of his obligation to file his return and pay his tax within the time specified by law. In this case taxpayers must seek the Government, not the Government the taxpayer.

PUPILS OF SIXTH AND SEVENTH GRADES MAKE EXCELLENT RECORD.

The following pupils in the sixth and seventh grades earned merit cards (prize) during second term:

Alice Elizabeth Tardy.
Louise Settle.
Ruth Quarles.
Dorris Johnson.
James T. Welch.
Those who earned 100 merits, (1/2 value of prize card.)
Ione Young.
Ara Meadows.
Mary Smith.
Georgia Dudney.
Lucile Gist.
Edna Smith.
Rose Sadler.
Willie Dixon.
Cordell Young.
Fred Draper.
Young Wooten.
Raymond Dudney.
Tomie Fuqua.

Parents, encourage your children to be obedient in school. It means success to the child and to the room. Stand behind us, for without your interest, the school will, in some degree, be a failure.

See that your child studies at home.

Aleine McDearman.

BAPTISTS ASSOCIATIONS TO MEET WITH PLEASANT VALLEY CHURCH MAR. 28-30.

The Fifth Sunday meeting of Enon and Wiseman Association will be held with Pleasant Valley Baptist church, five miles east of Willette, Tenn., beginning on Friday, March 28, 1919, and continuing three days. Following is the program:

1. Sermon for Criticism, A. J. Sloan; alternate, P. S. Dyer.
2. "Does the Bible teach sinless perfection of soul and body in this life? if so, give the arguments."—Cecil Knight, J. F. Overton, Willie Jenkins, A. J. Stinson.

3. "Is salvation, after regeneration, conditional or unconditional?"—H. H. Hewitt, M. H. Wakfield, Avery Clark, Willie Dycus.

4. "On what grounds can the various religious denominations, originated by man since the days of the Apostles, claim to be the church of Christ?"—Henry Russell, Jeff Clark, Willie Dycus.

5. "What logical and scriptural grounds are there for the claim for the Missionary Baptist that they constitute the church of Christ?"—Calvin Gregory, D. H. Knight, Luther Stewart, Gilbert Crabtree.

6. "Did any one ever so far apostatize as to be lost in hell after being regenerated and born again?"—A. J. Sloan, Avery Clark, George Ramsey.

7. "Are there any scriptural grounds for the doctrine of baptism in order to remission of sins?"—D. H. Knight, C. B. Massey.

Churches of the two associations are urged to send messengers to this meeting. Any church wanting the next Fifth Sunday meeting will present its request at this meeting. Everybody is cordially invited to come and take part in the discussion of the questions. These will be open to all, of whatsoever faith. A query box will be provided for questions anyone may wish to present.

C. B. Massey.
A. J. Sloan.
Calvin Gregory.
Committee.

JACKSON COUNTY HEROES "WITH THE COLORS"

France, January 23, 1919.

Dear Parents:
I am well and feeling fine. Would have written you sooner, but have been expecting to leave for the U. S. any time. But now I don't expect to leave before May.

When the armistice was signed I was seven kilometers from Verdun, expected to be called to go to the top at any hours. But the company that I was to join, was last under a barrage, and for this reason I was never called to go over the top. I was close enough to know what the big French 75 centimeter guns sound like, as they were shooting over the billet, that we were sleeping in, and the whole earth seemed to shake when they were fired. At one time we were given orders to go into the dugout, when a German aviator brought down one of our observation balloons. All the time our artillery was

firing at the Dutchman, but he got away. The sharpnel were falling heavy on us, and we were in such danger, that again we went to the dugout. This is about all of the real war I saw, except the ruins of several cities, such as Verdun, and many other smaller towns.

I arrived at the front just in time to enjoy a 15 days hike back with a heavy pack.

At present am having a big time, as I am out of camp on a seven days pass. Twelve passes were given out to my company, and I was one of the lucky number. I am now at Aix-les-Bains, France, on my pass. This place was selected by the Government as a suitable place at which to entertain the A. E. F. boys, and no better place could have been found. The Y. M. C. A. organization have charge of the entertaining features. Will tell you something about the place, and the way we are being

RECITAL GIVEN BY MUSIC DEPARTMENT OF HIGH SCHOOL—LARGE AUDIENCE ENJOY PROGRAM.

The recital given by the music department of the Jackson County High School, Saturday night, February 22, was a success in ever respect. Each number of the musical program was rendered with skill, and reflected much credit on the ability of the instructor and the talent of the pupils.

A feature of the program was the "The Merry Minstrels" composed of eleven young men of the high school. Costumed as negroes, with their repertoire of songs, humorous sayings, jokes, conundrums, buck and wing dance, and suffragette speech, the young men displayed excellent talent for amateurs.

The recital was given in the auditorium of the high school building, and was attended by a large audience. The program as rendered was as follows:

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| I | Mother Birds Song | Celia Crawford Morgan | Read |
| | French Child's Song | Behr | |
| | | Aliene Brooks | |
| | Voice of The Heart | Van Gael | |
| | | Grace Gentry | |
| | Dixie | H. Weber | |
| | | Leon Anderson | |
| | Spinning Song | Enmilrich | |
| | | Mayme Gibson | |
| | Twilight Meditations | Devaux | |
| | | Ravine McGlasson | |
| | Voice of the Heart | Van Gael | |
| | | Evelyn Settle | |
| II | Nature's Awakening | Engelman | |
| | | Edith Anderson | |
| | Reverie | Beaumont | |
| | | May Page | |
| III | Processional March | Ringuet | |
| | | Willard Johnson | |
| | Falling Waters | Traux | |
| | | Louise Settle | |
| | Thoughts of Thee | McKenzie | |
| | | Lucile Gist | |
| | Glissando Mazurka | Bohm | |
| | | Vivian Reeves | |
| | Fifth Nocture | Leybach | |
| | | Alice Elizabeth Tardy | |
| | Declamation | Freedom | |
| | | John Landon Quarles | |
| IV | Arbutus | Bliss | |
| | | Ethel Anderson | |
| | Celestial Visions | Drumbeller | |
| | | Doris Johnson | |
| | Gipsy Rondo | Haydn | |
| | | Mattie Clay Smith | |
| | Impromptu No. 4 | Schubert | |
| | | Christine Settle | |
| | Tarrantella | Picconka | |
| | | Ione Young | |
| V | "THE MERRY MINSTRELS" | | |
| | Interlocutor—Freeman McGlasson | | |
| | End Men—Frank Bailey, Landon Anderson, Lee Sadler Darwin, Nathan Roberts. | | |
| | Soloist—John Gibson | | |
| | Quartette—Bass: Mark Dodney, Willis Fuqua. Tenor: Will John Butler, Joe Spivey. | | |
| | Suffragette—Alvin Johnson | | |

entertained.

Aix-les-Bains is an old historical town, beautifully located. It is one of the leading and most famous summer resorts in all Europe, and one of the principal places where the millionaire tourists from other countries visit. The mountain scenery is beautiful, and the clear, sparkling waters that gush from the mountain sides are fine and healthy.

There are about 4000* of us being entertained, so you see it takes some room for us. The Y. M. C. A. is located in a big Casino, where they have Vandal's movies, lots of music of different kind, indoor games, billiards, checkers, rough-house games, reading and writing rooms and dancing. There being more girls than boys, each boy is only allowed to dance one minute with a girl. They all line up, and when the music starts the first boy to girl gets to dance the first minute. The "Y" man then blows a whistle and another boy steps in and dances a minute. This continues until all the boys who desire to, have danced.

I wont undertake to tell you about this Casino, for it would take too long. It is a very large (continued to page 3)

Methodists to Meet at Cookeville, March 10-11.

The District Council, of the Lebanon District, for Centenary movement of the Methodist Church South will be held in Cookeville, Tenn., on March 10-11th, 1919.

At the meeting all details of the missionary campaign will be discussed and outlined under the leadership of a representative of the District General. There will be in attendance the district campaign director, local church campaign directors, presiding elder, pastors of the local churches in the district, campaign conference missionary secretary, district lay leaders and members of the District Centenary Committee.

Such laymen as need enthusiasm should attend and those who will actively assist in the great movement of intercession, spiritual awakening, and the raising of funds will be expected in Cookeville, on March 10-11th.

Practice Safe Farming.

"If the United States is safely to retain the agricultural leadership established by war, we must improve both the quality and the quantity of livestock," said Dr. J. R. Mohler of the United States Department of Agriculture, in an address to the Southern Cattlemen's Association.

"Failure to maintain our livestock in proportion to our population means dependence on other countries," said Dr. Mohler. "It means dependence on them for meat, for leather, and for animal fats. It means dependence on them also for fertilizers with which to maintain crop yields in the absence of manure. It may even mean dependence on them for milk with which to feed our children, as Europe lately has been depending on the United States for milk in condensed or powder form. In other words, if we fail to feed ourselves or to satisfy our home markets, someone else will, and in fact is already doing so."

Farming Nuggets

Big Results From Chickens and Livestock.

D. D. Freeborn of Washington County, Tennessee, started his poultry work with 398 hens January 1, 1917.

During the year he lost 7 hens by death. His feed and supply bill amounted to \$684.90, while his return from eggs was \$1408.20, giving him a net profit of \$723.30 from 390 hens.

In 1918 Mr. Freeborn started with 393 hens and pullets, losing three. From the 390 hens he marketed 142 cases of eggs which brought him \$1869.63. His feed cost, including egg cases, meat scraps, etc., was \$699.90, leaving a net profit of \$1169.73.

Mr. Freeborn, in getting a yearly average of 131 eggs per hen, says much of his success is due to careful selection of layers. He culls very closely in August.

Mr. Freeborn keeps no male birds with his hens, having found that they are not necessary to egg production, and that they are more expensive to feed than hens. He has about three cases of select white eggs a week, marketing them thru a new York commission house. Most of the feed is grown on the farm, but is charged to the poultry at times of harvesting at market price. Meat scraps, oyster shell, grit, and egg cases necessarily have to be purchased.

A Cheatham County farmer is feeding cattle that weigh 600 or 700 pounds. He is feeding that them corn, hay, and cottonseed meal.

He is finding that he can feed steers about 5 pounds of cottonseed meal a day but had to lead them gradually up to it.

With soy bean, hay he is not able to feed more than 3 1/2 or 4 pounds of cottonseed meal a day. He started with 1 pound of cottonseed meal a day for the first week.

For feeding cattle with silage 1 pound of cottonseed meal is worth 2 pounds of corn but is perhaps not worth quite as much when fed with soy bean hay. Corn cannot profitably be fed unless the cattle are of very high quality and would sell pretty well at the top of the market when finished.

If all the manure is saved carefully one can get back three-fourths of the original value of the fertilizer value of cottonseed meal. This would amount to \$40 to \$45 per ton.

PRESIDENT WILSON RETURNS.

President Wilson will fight at home as he has fought abroad for a League of Nations. Returning from France, he had been on American soil not more than three hours Tuesday before he threw down the gauntlet in his Boston speech to those who distrust the proposed concert of Government based, he said on the American ideals which had won the war for justice and humanity. An America confining to her own territories her conception and purpose to make men free, he said, would have to keep her honor "for those narrow, selfish, provincial purposes which seem so dear to some minds that have no sweep beyond their nearest horizon."